



# Southeastern MA Adult Walking Club

Department of Conservation and Recreation

## SPRING 2023 HIKES

The DCR Southeastern Massachusetts Adult Walking Club meets most weekends for social recreational walks. Meeting times vary. Please see descriptions. This club is open to people of 16 years of age and older and there is no fee to join. Walks average 2-miles to 5-miles and terrain is varied. New walkers are always welcome. Come for one or come for all! Bring drinking water, a snack, and dress for the weather. Some DCR sites charge a parking fee which is noted in the hike description. Inclement weather will cancel. For more information and to confirm, please call the phone number listed with the specific hike below. Please follow all current COVID guidelines. Visit [Mass.gov/COVID](https://www.mass.gov/covid).

upcoming hikes

Saturday, March 4	<b>Waquoit Bay, 10:00 am—12:00 pm</b> Moderate 3-mile walk through Jehu Conservation Land and the Abigail Brook Trail. Meet at Jehu Conservation Land parking lot on Great Oak Road, Mashpee. (508) 457-0495
Saturday, March 11	<b>Blue Hills Reservation, 1:30 pm—3:30 pm</b> A 5-mile hike around Ponkapoag Pond. Moderately difficult with a gentle grade throughout. Meet at 2167 Washington Street, Canton at Ponkapoag Golf Course. (617) 698-1802
Saturday, March 18	<b>Borderland State Park, 1:00 pm—3:00 pm</b> Moderate 4-mile loop along the old carriage roads around Upper and Lower Leach Ponds. Meet at the visitor center located at 259 Massapoag Avenue, North Easton. Parking fee applies. (508) 238-6566
Sunday, March 26	<b>Massasoit State Park, 10:00 am—11:30 am</b> A 3-mile walk taking in the scenery of Massasoit State Park. Meet at the Contact Station in the main parking lot located at 1361 Middleboro Avenue, East Taunton. (508) 272-9376
Saturday, April 1	<b>Nickerson State Park, 1:00 pm—3:00 pm</b> Moderate 3.5-mile walk around Cliff Pond with incredible vistas of the spring landscape. Park entrance, 3488 Main Street, Brewster. Drive up the road, take your first major left onto Flax Road and follow to the end. Meet at the end of Flax Road. (508) 896-3491
Sunday, April 9	<b>Borderland State Park, 9:00 am—12:00 pm</b> Moderately paced 4.5-mile hike to the Quarry Loop via various trails. Some hilly and rocky terrain. Meet at visitor center at 259 Massapoag Avenue in N. Easton. Parking fee applies. (508)238-6566
Saturday, April 15	<b>Blue Hills Reservation, 1:00 pm—3:00 pm</b> A moderate 3.5-mile hike along Angle Path and the Old 128 road. Some elevation on this hike. Meet at Houghton’s Pond visitor center, 840 Hillside Street, Milton. (617) 698-1802
Sunday, April 23	<b>Borderland State Park, 9:00 am—11:00 am</b> A moderate paced 3-mile hike to the Granite Hills Loops via various trails. Slight inclines throughout. Meet at the visitor center located at 259 Massapoag Avenue, North Easton. Parking fee applies. (508)238-6566
Sunday, April 30	<b>Blue Hills Reservation, 1:00 pm—2:30 pm</b> A moderate 3-mile walk on Meadow Road to Madden Road and a return on Acton Road. Meet at the Donovan School, 123 Reed Street, Randolph. (617) 698-1802
Saturday, May 6	<b>Nickerson State Park, 1:00 pm—3:00 pm</b> Moderate 3.5-mile walk along Little Cliff and Huggins Pond Walk trails. Walking along a single track and dirt fire roads around two pristine kettle ponds. Drive up the road, take your first major left onto Flax Rd., and follow to the end. Meet at the end of Flax Road. (508) 896-3491
Saturday, May 13	<b>South Cape Beach, 10:00 am—12:00 pm</b> A little more than 2-miles, walking the Dead Neck Trail. The trail traverses some soft sand. Meet at the beach entrance by South Cape Beach parking lot, 669 Great Oak Road in Mashpee. (508) 457-0495
Saturday, May 20	<b>Blue Hills Reservation, 2:00 pm—4:00 pm</b> A moderate 2.7-mile hike over rolling terrain along the Wolcot Green dot Path. Meet at the north parking lot of the Trailside Museum located at 1904 Canton Avenue, Milton. (617) 698-1802
Saturday, May 27	<b>Nickerson State Park, 1:00 pm—3:00 pm</b> A moderate 3.5-mile walk through an Oak and Pitch Pine forest visiting two historic cemeteries along the way. Meet at the front parking lot to the right as you enter Nickerson. (508) 896-3491

